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CONNECTICUT TEENS POLLED RESULTS RELEASED ON MAKING WOMEN VISIBLE DAY 2007!

Hartford—The state legislature's Permanent Commission on the Status of Women (PCSW) will release the results of a poll of teen girls and boys, Connecticut Teens: Confident but Perceptions of Choices Limited on Making Women Visible Day, Wednesday, January 24th, 2007. The results will be announced in room 2B of the Legislative Office Building from 11:15 AM to 12 Noon and will include a panel discussion responding to the results. This release of the poll results will be a part of many activities that day (see separate flyer).

The PCSW commissioned the Center for Survey Research and Analysis (CSRA) at the University of Connecticut to conduct a telephone survey of teens, both girls and boys, ages 14 through 17, in Connecticut to gather perceptions on issues and challenges that young women face in their everyday lives. The poll examined the everyday challenges and issues, hopes for the future, and career interests and goals of teens in Connecticut and to note differences in perception between teen girls and boys.

13th Annual Making Women Visible Day:

Girls and Leadership Wednesday, January 24th, 2007

<u>Kick Off -- 9:30 AM, Room 2C, Legislative Office Building</u>
(Activities throughout the day)

The PCSW was established by the CT General Assembly in 1973. The Commission studies all matters concerning women, informs leaders about the nature and scope of discrimination, serves as a liaison between government and private interest groups concerned with services for women, promotes consideration of women for governmental positions and works with state agencies to access programs and practices as they affect women.

For more information regarding the day's activities, contact the PCSW at 860-240-8300, visit their website at www.cga.ct.gov/pcsw, or review the attached flyer with schedule.

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